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Thanks for your kind words, Lingard, and to the EPA for hosting this meeting. We look forward to future discussions regarding this. Also, thank you for providing us with the link to the project example.

Regards, Chris

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First – to my FHWA partners – thank you so much for your attendance yesterday on our meeting with the NYACLU on I-81. As usual, your candor and professionalism was upfront and center, and I think it was an honest dialogue on a very important issue for the Syracuse community affected by the I-81 project.

I'm sending you a link to the BOEM's "virtual meeting room" they put together for the Vineyard Wind offshore wind SEIS. It's just one way that's been used to involve the public during this time of social distancing. https://www.boem.gov/Vineyard-Wind-SEIS-Virtual-Meeting

My EPA colleagues and I will be sending more information on public meetings that have been used by EPA in the next week or so.

Again, many thanks!

Lingard

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